

Public Hearing on the Study of International Patent Protection for Small Businesses

United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO)



600 Dulany Street, Alexandria, Virginia

Madison Auditorium

Thursday, October 27, 2011

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Agenda

USPTO Panel

Teresa Stanek Rea, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Deputy Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office

Albert Tramosch, Administrator for Policy and External Affairs, United States Patent and Trademark Office

Dana Robert Colarulli, Director, Office of Governmental Affairs, Policy and External Affairs, United States Patent and Trademark Office

Janet Gongola, Patent Reform Coordinator, Office of the Under Secretary, United States Patent and Trademark Office

Stuart Graham, Chief Economist and International Patent Protection Study Leader, United States Patent and Trademark Office

David Donner Chait, Senior Policy Advisor to the Administrator, Small Business Administration

1:00 PM: Welcoming Remarks

Teresa Stanek Rea, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Deputy Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office

1:10 PM: Remarks

David Donner Chait, Senior Policy Advisor to the Administrator

1:15 PM: General Commentary for Congressionally-Mandated Studies Under the AIA

Janet Gongola, Patent Reform Coordinator

1:25: Overview of International Patent Protection Study

Stuart Graham, Chief Economist and International Patent Protection Study Leader

1:30 PM to 2:30 PM: Scheduled Testimony, Stuart Graham as Master of Ceremonies

- 1:30 to 1:45 PM: **Timothy King**, Global Intellectual Property Manager, IPG Photonics Corporation
- 1:45 to 2:00 PM: **Morgan Reed**, Director, Association for Competitive Technology
- 2:00 to 2:15 PM: **Alan Kasper**, Partner, Sughrue Mion, PLLC and Representative of American Intellectual Property Law Association
- 2:15 to 2:30 PM: **Stanley Erck**, President and CEO, Novavax and Representative of Biotechnology Industry Association

2:30 PM: Open Floor for Unscheduled Testimony

Closing Remarks

Janet Gongola, Patent Reform Coordinator
